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Intimations.



NOTICE.
A MEETING OF HIS MAJESTY'S
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on TUESDAY, the 24th November, 1903,
for the purpose of considering the following
applications:
From one JAMES D. M. CAMERON
for a Publican's Licence to sell and retail
intoxicating liquor on the premises situate
at No. 39, Elgin Road, Kowloon, under the
Sign of the 'Occidental Hotel'.
From one GEORGE JAMES CLARK
for an Adjunct Licence to sell and retail
intoxicating liquor on the premises situate
at No. 13, Queen's Road Central, under the
Sign of the 'Connaught House Hotel'.
From one RICHARD FRANCIS DALY
for an Adjunct Licence to sell and retail
intoxicating liquor on the premises situate
at No. 51, Des Voeux Road Central, under the
Sign of the 'Oyster Bar and Restaurant'.
From one JOHN ANDERSON for an
Adjunct Licence to sell and retail intoxicat-
ing liquor on the premises situate at Happy
Valley, under the Sign of the 'Happy
Retreat Restaurant'.
T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Police Magistrate.

Magistracy,
Hongkong, November 14, 1903. 1317

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
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Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND on Account of the year 1903, at the rate of Fifty Cents per Share for Five Per Cent on the Capital of the Company will be payable at HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANK, Hongkong, on and after MONDAY, the 30th instant, on Warrants to be obtained from the Undersigned. Local Shareholders are requested to apply to the Company's Office for Warrants. The DIVIDEND will also be Payable at the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANK, Shanghai, on presentation of Warrants there, on and after the same date. The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 23rd instant, until MONDAY, the 30th instant, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares will be registered.

By Order,
A. H. MANOELL,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 14, 1903. 2311

HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of HUMPHREYS' ESTATE and FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Nos. 38, and 40, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of November, 1903, at Noon, when the Sub-judicial Resolutions which were passed at a Meeting held on the 31st October, 1903, will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions:—

1. That the Capital of the Company be increased from \$1,000,000 (divided into 100,000 shares of \$10 each) to \$1,500,000 (divided into 150,000 shares of \$10 each) by the creation of 50,000 new shares of \$10 each to be offered and if accepted to be allotted to the present shareholders of the Company in proportion to the ratio and proportion of one new share for every two old shares in the Company held by the respective shareholders thereof, the amount payable on each of such new shares respectively to be paid at such time or times and in such manner as the Company by its General Managers may hereafter determine.
2. That Article No. 82 of the Articles of Association of the Company be cancelled and the following Article substituted therefor:—

"The remuneration of the General Managers shall be a sum not exceeding \$5,000 per annum (which shall cover office expenses and salaries of Secretary and other employees) and a commission of 5 per cent. of the net profits of the Company for each year that such profits amount to 7 per cent. of the Capital of the Company."

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1903.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 19th day of November, 1903, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the 31st July, 1903.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 19th day of November, 1903, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
S. A. SETH,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 3, 1903. 2231

THE HONGKONG STEAM WATER BOAT CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 37, Connaught Road Central, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report and Statement of Accounts to the 30th of September, 1903.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 24th November, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. W. KEW,
Manager.
Hongkong, November 12, 1903. 2235

THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 24th proximo, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts to the 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th inst. to the 28th proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
JAMES WHITTALL,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 16, 1903. 2321

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Hongkong, July 7, 1903. 1416

Intimations.

(ABBREVIATED) PROSPECTUS OF THE HONGKONG BREWERY COMPANY, LIMITED.

[Incorporated under the Companies Ordinance Hongkong 1865 to 1899, whereby the liability of a shareholder is limited to the amount of his shares.]

CAPITAL
Hongkong Currency \$250,000, divided into 25,000 shares of \$100 each, payable as follows:—
\$50 on application,
\$25 on allotment,
\$12.50 on 1st May, 1904, and
\$12.50 on 1st Dec. 1904.

MANAGERS:
Messrs. PAUL LEMAITRE & Co., of No. 15 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong.
CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE:
WILLIAM CHARLES JACK, Esq. Hongkong.
ALBERT DENISON, Esq. Hongkong.
FRANCIS PACTET HERT, Esq. Hongkong.

BANKERS:
THE HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.
SOLICITOR:
G. K. H. BRUTON, Esq., Nos. 39 and 41 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

AUDITOR:
A. R. LOWE, Esq., Chartered Accountant, Hongkong.

REGISTERED OFFICE:
No. 15, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

The Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring land in the Colony of Hongkong, together with message erections and buildings thereon known as the Metropole Hotel, and of erecting thereon additional buildings convenient for the purpose of a Brewery, and to manage, maintain and carry on the said Brewery and buildings when erected and constructed.

On the land intended to be purchased is a supply of water in sufficient quantities for the requirements of the brewery and very suitable for brewing purposes, as shown by the analysis of Mr. F. Browne, Government Analyst at Hongkong, which analysis can be inspected at the registered office of the company. After carefully going into the question of expenses, the Promoter, Mr. E. A. Meurer, the Manager of Messrs. P. Lemaire & Co., is confident that with a brewing of 500,000 gallons only a year a dividend of 25 per cent. on the investment will be payable on the capital of the Company. No complete statistics are available showing the quantities of European and Japanese Beer imported into Hongkong and China, but there is no doubt that the demand for beer is increasing; this the following figures will show:—

Japanese Beer imported into China.
1893 gallons 170,280
1900 " 455,000
1901 " 732,608
During the last three years the Japan Brewery Company and the Yohsui Brewery, which are the two largest Breweries in Japan, have paid the following dividends:—

1893/1900 25%
1900/1901 25%
1901/1902 20%
It is the intention of the management, as a beginning, to supply the local markets, and it is anticipated that there will be a demand from the garrison at Hongkong and from the various merchant ships which call at Hongkong.

The price for the purchase of the land and buildings thereon intended to be purchased is \$80,000, and it is estimated that the cost of erecting the additional buildings necessary for the Company and for the erection of the plant, &c., will not exceed the sum of \$200,000.

It is believed that the brewery premises will be completed by the month of March 1904, and that the Brewery will be in full working order by the month of April, 1904.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and of any contracts and the report above mentioned, may be inspected at the registered office of the Company.

Forms of application for shares may be obtained from the Company's Managers and Bankers.

Application for shares should be forwarded to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Bankers of the Company, Hongkong, from whom copies of the Prospectus may be obtained, and further information may also be obtained from the Managers, Messrs. P. LEMAITRE & Co., Hongkong.

Hongkong, October 22, 1903. 2125

HOUSEHOLDERS are hereby requested to make a special effort during the winter months to DESTROY RATS and fill up RAT HOLE with Cement.

Rat Traps and Rat Line may be obtained from the Secretary to the Board of Directors or from the Board of Directors.

By Order,
G. A. WOODCOCK,
Secretary.

Sanitary Board Office,
Hongkong, October 26, 1903. 2204

HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

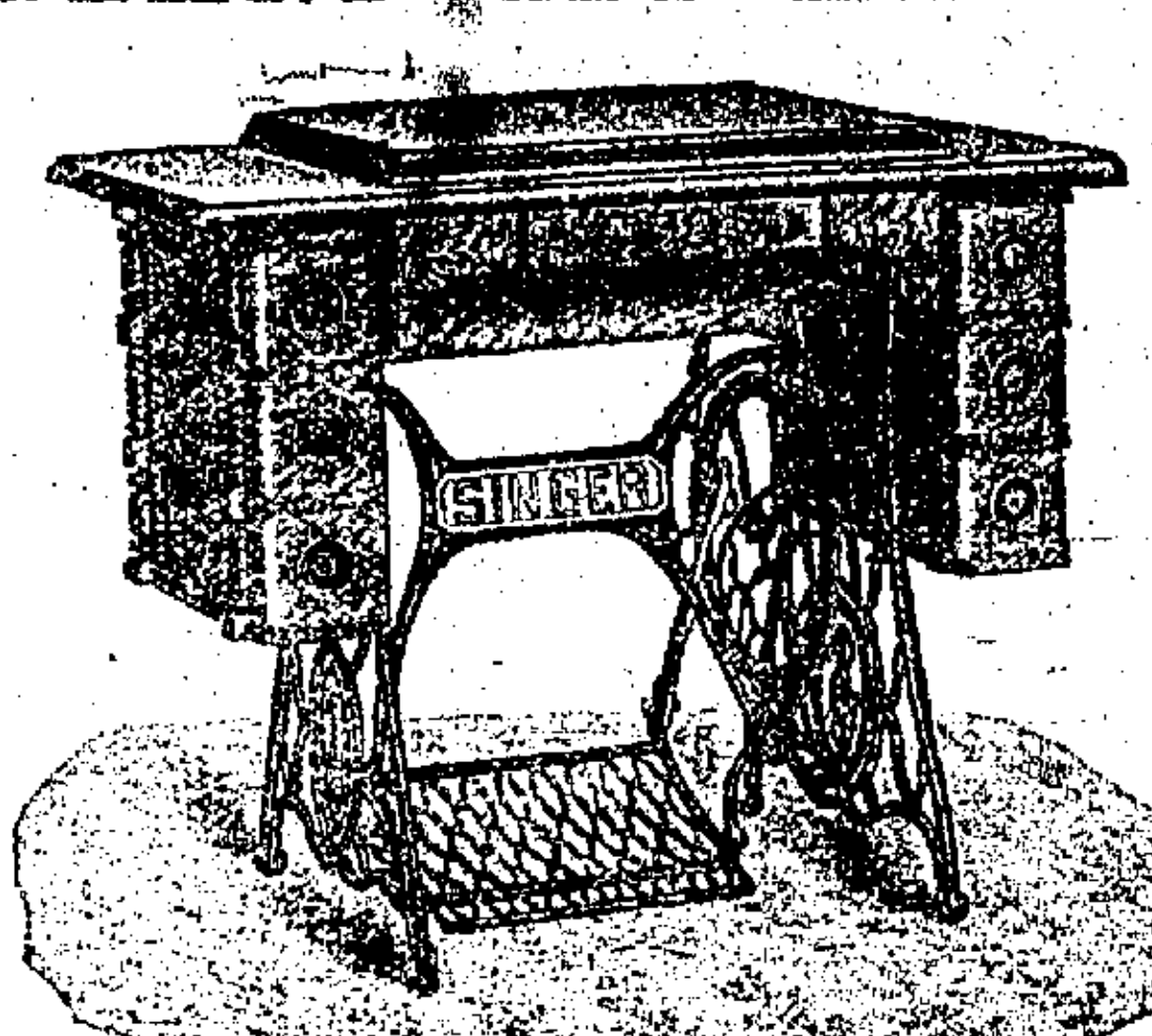
THE SHARE CERTIFICATE No. 4935 for Fifty Shares Numbered 61851-61900 inclusive standing in the Register in the name of Capt. DONALD RIDDES TULLOCH, R.A., of Hongkong, having been lost, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that unless the said Certificate is produced at the Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, before 25th November 1903, a New Certificate for the said shares will be issued and the Old Certificate will thereafter be held by the Company as Null and Void.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hongkong, October 22, 1903. 2170

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TO LET. WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. CORNER HOUSE, No. 3, LOWER CASTLE ROAD.

Apply to LI KIN TONG, 11, Remedios Terrace, Hongkong, October 22, 1903. 2169

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TO LET. NO. 44, HIGH STREET, An Elegant Room House, very moderate rent.

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Hongkong, March 14, 1903. 563

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Hongkong, November 16, 1903. 2319

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HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.30 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
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8.30 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
9.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS.

5.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

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8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
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9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
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NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

Extra cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m. SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hongkong, June 4, 1903. 1991

"THE BACK DOOR."

THE Series of Articles entitled "THE BACK DOOR," which appeared in the China Mail, have been reprinted, and may be obtained in Pamphlet Form. Price 1/6.

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TO MY SHADOW.

I wandered lonely on the Peak
With swaying stick, and struck your cheek,
But turned politely round to speak
Apology.

I footed briskly down Queen's Road,
And on your bare brown instep strode,
With a word you bore the load
Reserved.

I followed along the Praya East—
One human load, one human beast—
You overtook me, not the least
Porturbed;

But stood aside and watched the fun
And thought your laughter food abund-
-dant then was offered by the stum-
-bling drop.

I dreamt a night—a vision real—
I seemed to hear your fingers feel
And underneath my pillow steal
My watch.

Again I found you in my kitchen
Your leather waist-belt loosely hitching
Preparing for a new-dish "pitch in"
Of me!

For many vain will be appeal—
Identify you can concoct and swell
So next time you and I meet, we'll
Be quite.

THE SULTAN OF JOHORE'S
TYPISTS.

The following letter, which was published in the Sydney Daily Telegraph, of October 16, will serve to show the influence which was set at work to secure the return of the two Australian girls, Misses Hands and Jackson, who were recently prevented at Singapore from going to Johore as typists to the Sultan:—

"Sir,—Having read the article in to-day's issue of The Daily Telegraph referring to two Australian girls who left Sydney under engagement to the Sultan of Johore, and the circumstances attending their arrival at Singapore, may I be allowed to state a few facts in connection with the matter. When it came to the knowledge of a member of the Young Women's Christian Association that these girls were leaving, steps were at once taken to warn them of the risk they ran and endeavor by all means to dissuade them from going. The relatives were seen and urged to take decisive measures, the girls themselves were expostulated with on board the *Citrus* but all to no purpose, as they were bent on fulfilling their engagement. A final measure of precaution letters of introduction to the Y.W.C.A. secretary at Singapore were given them, and this I day was also communicated with direct. The earnestness shown by the Y.W.C.A. workers, although apparently lost upon the girls, at length aroused the parents to take action, and the aunt writes at Singapore were communicated with, with the result already shown.—Yours, etc., A. M. L. MAYNARD, Gen. Secretary, Y.W.C.A."

The German Navy.

The strength of the personnel of the Imperial German Navy has been fixed at 38,000 men for the Budget year 1904. It amounted to 35,600 for the current year, and to 19,000 in 1893. A corresponding increase has taken place within the last ten years in the Naval Officers Corps, while the Engineers Corps has had to be trebled.

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To all those afflicted with rheumatism we recommend a trial of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. One application will relieve the pain, and its continued use for a short time will result in a cure.

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GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE, BRITISH and MEXICAN DOLLARS, current in this Colony, in Exchange for Sterling Bills drawn at 10 days' sight on the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, London, will be received by the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department, until 11 a.m. on the 18th November, 1903.

The tenders to be in Duplicate, and in Sealed Covers, addressed to the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department, and endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills."

The right to accept or reject any or all of the tenders is reserved.

Copies of Forms of tender can be had on application.

GEO. H. FERRIER, Colonel, A.P.D., H.M. Treasury Chief Officer, His Majesty's Treasury Office, Fletcher Street, Hongkong.

14th November, 1903. 2306

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HONGKONG HOTEL CORRIDOR. 1587

BRE

THE TURN OF THE WORM.

The N. C. Daily News of November 7 publishes the following:—The following important circular telegram was issued by the Grand Council on Thursday (Nov. 5) to the various Viceroys and Governors of provinces with reference to the strained relations between China and Russia regarding Manchuria:—"Diplomatic relations with Russia certain to be broken. Make every haste to raise funds and troops in anticipation of immediate hostilities. The telegrams to the Viceroys of the Liangjiang (Wei Kwang-tao at Nanking), Hukwang (Tsuan Fang at Wuchang), Min-chi (Li Ming-cheng at Poochow), and Two Kwang (Tsun Ohn-huen at Canton), provinces had the additional words,—"Keep careful guard of your maritime and riverine defences and let not the mistakes of former years be repeated, referring doubtless to the French attack on the Chinese fleet at Pagoda Anchorage, Poochow, in August, 1884. In consequence of these telegrams there has been some excitement in local mandarin circles, the general feeling, however, being one of pleasure that something decisive has at last been done with regard to the Manchurian question which has been in suspense so long.

WHY CHINA HOLDS BACK.

Private telegrams received at Shanghai from Peking state that Viceroy Yuan Shih-k'ai and Chang Chih-tung have had repeated private audiences with the Emperor and the Empress Dowager and a careful report was called for and given by the two Viceroys as to the present military resources of the Empire in the event of the breaking out of hostilities against Russia. In the meantime large numbers of young Chinese and Manchus are eager for war with Russia and are volunteering for active service. The officials are, however, trying their best to keep all this secret, for fear of arousing the premature anger of Russia. The general feeling of the Mandarinate in the provinces is that China ought to fight Russia for Manchuria, but for a lingering fear that she should be left in the lurch by Japan and made to fight Russia alone and unassisted. In this case the end would be worse than the beginning. Let China be properly assured by her friends that she will be aided in her war with Russia, then the world will find a united China opposed to Russia. The present drawback to China fighting Russia alone is the former's want of adequate arms and ammunition and properly disciplined armies.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that GUN PRACTICE will be carried out from the underground Batteries, and on the dates as specified opposite:—
Stonewall West in a South-Westerly direction at a range of about 2,000 yards, on the 20th November, 1903.
Lyemun (Syvan) at a range of about 1,000 yards to the North of Futun Chan and 1,400 yards along the Western shore of Junk Bay, on the 21st November, 1903.
Practice will commence at about 9 a.m. daily, and end about 11 a.m. daily, if the range is clear.
If the weather is unfavourable on any of the above dates, practice will be carried out on the 23rd instant.

By Command,
F. H. MAY,
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, November 11, 1903.

STEAM TO CANTON.

THE splendid new Steel Twin-Screw Steamer
"KWONG CHOW,"
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Passengers Fare \$4.00 Single Journey. Meals \$1.00 each.
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MEALS & LA CROUTE, STEAKS, CHOPS, &c., &c., at any time between 7 A.M. and 10.30 P.M.
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Hongkong, November 11, 1903.

DANCING.

PLEASE NOTE.

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Once a Week \$7
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Albatross	despatch-vessel	12,500	16	13,500	Captain T. H. M. Jernyn	Kobe
Albatross	despatch-vessel	1050	6	1400	Comdr. R. Nugent	Mina Bay
Albatross	despatch-vessel	11,000	16	13,000	Capt. Charles Windham C.V.O.	Hongkong
Albatross	despatch-vessel	9000	12	13,000	Captain R. G. Stoddard	Hongkong
Albatross	despatch-vessel	710	6	1300	Lieut. Comdr. E. M. Locke	Kobe
Albatross	despatch-vessel	710	6	1300	Lieut. Comdr. T. D. Pratt	Nagasaki
Albatross	despatch-vessel	12,000	14	31,000	Captain Henry M. Tudor	Hongkong
Albatross	despatch-vessel	390	—	900	Captain Robert H. S. Stokes	Shanghai
Albatross	despatch-vessel	6800	11	900	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	1070	10	1400	Comdr. P. V. Lawes, D.S.O.	Hongkong
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Albatross	despatch-vessel	1580	12	3200	Lieut. Comdr. H. L. Weil	Hongkong
Albatross	despatch-vessel	12,950	16	13,500	Comdr. J. D. Dainton	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	275	6	4000	Lieut. Comdr. G. A. Arnes	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	275	6	4000	Lieut. Comdr. G. B. Powell	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	14,100	—	31,500	Lieut. Comdr. G. G. Webster	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	180	2	800	Lieut. Comdr. W. M. Plenderleath	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	380	10	1400	Captain R. F. Foote, O.M.C.	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	350	6	4300	Lieut. Comdr. G. G. Goringham	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	1015	6	1400	Comdr. W. H. Nicholson	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	835	6	1650	Captain Morris H. Sargy	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	380	10	1400	Capt. D. St. A. Wake	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	980	6	1400	Lieut. Comdr. John P. Iven	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	85	2	240	Comdr. T. Jackson	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	3600	8	2400	Lieut. Comdr. Murray Lockhart	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	85	2	240	Capt. C. H. H. Moore	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	3600	8	2400	Lieut. Comdr. Davidson	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	365	6	6500	Fleet Reserve	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	260	6	6500	Captain Lewis Bayly	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	6800	11	9600	Comdr. R. G. Stoddard	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	4650	6	800	Lieut. Comdr. E. V. Daguerre	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	180	2	800	Capt. J. A. G. Wilkinson	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	3400	8	9000	Lieut. Comdr. Forster	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	385	3	2900	Capt. Leslie Stuart, O.M.C.	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	13,950	16	13,500	Comdr. S. St. John Perquival	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	355	6	6300	Lieut. Comdr. A. B. Barker	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	620	—	450	Lieut. Comdr. E. G. Hardy	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	360	6	5900	In Reserve	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	150	2	550	Lieut. Comdr. Hugh Somerville	Weihaei
Albatross	despatch-vessel	150	2	550	Lieut. Comdr. Watson	Weihaei

* Flag of Admiral Sir Cyrril A. G. Bridge, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief

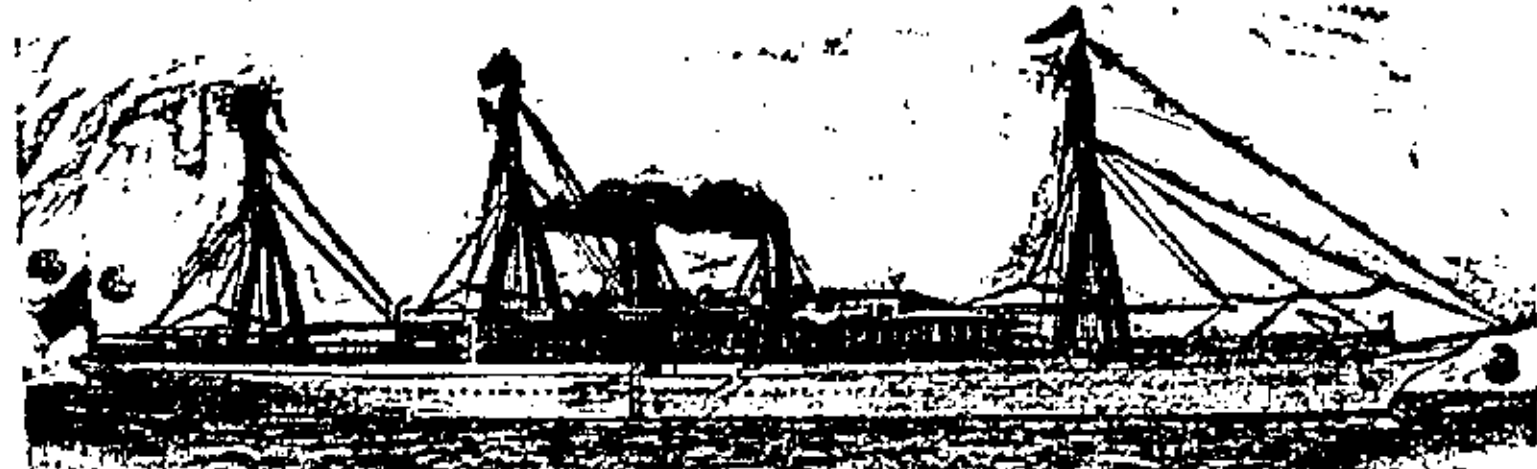
Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at
Aspern	Austrian cruiser	962	—	—	Capt. Friedrich Heinzenberzen	Kiautschou
Acheron	French gunboat	1798	—	—	Captain Lefortier	Shanghai
Albatross	French gunboat	300	—	—	Lieut. A. Varney	Canton
Argus	French gunboat	475	3	450	Capt. Crepin	Shanghai
Aspie	French gunboat	580	—	—	Comdr. Journe	Haiphong
Avonmouth	French gunboat	3740	29	9000	Capt. Lefortier	Shanghai
Bangali	French gunboat	8018	18	—	Captain de Pampeville	Nagasaki
Bataillon	French gunboat	525	—	—	Comdr. de Sade	Shanghai
Comete	French gunboat	680	6	2200	Capt. Le Gollou	Hankow
Decade	French gunboat	470	—	—	Capt. Bégue	Shanghai
Kersaint	French gunboat	9700	12	19,600	Captain Bonin	Shanghai
Lion	French gunboat	4015	27	6500	Capt. Harat	Nagasaki
Montcalm	French gunboat	9437	8	6071	Capt. Vincent	Shanghai
Olry	French gunboat	1795	19	900	Captain Thomas	Shanghai
Pascal	French gunboat	629	—	—	Lieut. Galland	Shanghai
Redoubtable	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Blouin	Shanghai
Styx	French gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut. Caron	Shanghai
Surprise	French gunboat	—	—	—	Comdr. Villeneuve	Shanghai
Takou	French gunboat	400	4	441	Comdr. Forster	Shanghai
Vigilant	French gunboat	1857	15	2800	Capt. Forster	Shanghai
Viper	French gunboat	11,000	36	14,000	Capt. Forster	Shanghai
Bussard	German cruiser	6000	24	10,000	Comdr. Wulmann	Shanghai
First Bismarck	German cruiser	6000	27	10,000	Capt. van Smeeten	Shanghai
Gelos	German cruiser	1000	10	1300	Capt. Ingenohl	Shanghai
Hansa	German cruiser	900	10	1300	Comdr. Commander Platen	Shanghai
Horch	German cruiser	1840	10	1500	Comdr. Villeneuve	Shanghai
Ilber	German cruiser	900	10	1500	Comdr. Krugner	Shanghai
Jaguar	German cruiser	1840	10	1500	Comdr. Hoffmann	Shanghai
Leclerc	German cruiser	900	10	1500	Comdr. Schuler	Shanghai
Secour	German cruiser	900	10	1500	Lieut. Comdr. von Weh	Shanghai
Vigor	German cruiser	—	—	—	Captain Diet	Shanghai
Vormors	German cruiser	—	—	—	—	Shanghai
Thetis	German cruiser	—	—	—	—	Shanghai
Calabria	Italian cruiser	2492	10	4120	Captain Arman	Nagasaki
Piemonte	Italian cruiser	2492	10	4120	Captain Arman	Nagasaki
Vesuvio	Italian cruiser	4500	21	6820	Captain Arman	Nagasaki
Diu	Portuguese gunboat	730	—	—	Captain Lago de Sa	Hongkong
Zaire	Portuguese gunboat	600	—	—	Capt. F. J. Parlon Leal	Macao
Alcant	Russian gunboat	810	6	730	Comdr. Guin	Vladivostok
Amur	Russian gunboat	2600	5	4790	Comdr. Grunshchik	Port Arthur
Askold	Russian gunboat	6000	27	—	Capt. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Bayarin	Russian gunboat	3200	6	—	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Bobrov	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1150	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Bojaryn	Russian gunboat	6840	12	—	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Diana	Russian gunboat	6731	6	—	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Gaidamak	Russian gunboat	590	9	3600	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Jeremiasch	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Jeremiasch	Russian gunboat	12,384	44	11,500	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Gromobol	Russian gunboat	1003	8	1000	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Chilak	Russian gunboat	1213	7	1500	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Konev	Russian gunboat	1224	7	1400	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Manjourn	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Orskoy	Russian gunboat	6731	12	14,500	Captain Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Pallada	Russian gunboat	12,074	15	10,000	Captain Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Pervysiev	Russian gunboat	10,989	15	11,500	Capt. Zastavarsky	Port Arthur
Petrovskiy	Russian gunboat	12,074	15	11,500	Captain Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Pobeda	Russian gunboat	10,960	16	10,000	Captain Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Poltava	Russian gunboat	1334	10	1780	Comdr.	Port Arthur
Poltava	Russian gunboat	12,032	18	16,000	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Reizman	Russian gunboat	12,300	33	17,000	Captain Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Rosina	Russian gunboat	10,923	26	13,250	Capt. Matusevich	Port Arthur
Rurik	Russian gunboat	10,989	16	10,000	Capt. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Saratov	Russian gunboat	820	2	—	Capt. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Sivuch	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1120	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Varyag	Russian gunboat	6500	27	20,000	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Vladik	Russian gunboat	500	9	3300	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Zebryak	Russian gunboat	1230	15	1194	Comdr. Reizenstein	Port Arthur
Albany	U. S. cruiser	2500	—	—	Capt. J. H. Rodgers	Nagasaki
Callao	U. S. cruiser	235	—	—	Lieut. E. A. Anderson	Hongkong
Cincinnati	U. S. gunboat	3213	—	—	Capt. W. S. Mason	Shanghai
Don Juan de Austria	U. S. gunboat	1150	—	1600	Captain Penttil	Shanghai
Eleana	U. S. gunboat	540	—	—	Lt. Comdr. V. Wood	Shanghai
Hela	U. S. gunboat	1302	8	1988	Capt. St. Laurent	Shanghai
Kentucky	U. S. flag ship	12,500	41	10,000	Captain R. M. Berry	Shanghai
Monocacy	U. S. monitor	3970	6	3000	Captain Mahan	Shanghai
Monocacy	U. S. monitor	3970	6	3000	Comdr. Daniels	Shanghai
Monterey	U. S. monitor	4054	4	5244	Comdr. W. H. Beebe	Shanghai
New Orleans	U. S. monitor	3137	20	—	Comdr. de Blois	Shanghai
Oregon	U. S. cruiser	10,528	45	—	Captain Durwell	Shanghai
Raleigh	U. S. cruiser	3213	—	—	Captain Haze	Shanghai
Vicksburg	U. S. cruiser	1000	13	1118	Comdr. Marshall	Shanghai
Villalobos	U. S. gunboat	400	—	—	Lieut. L. O. Bortolotto	Shanghai
Villalobos	U. S. gunboat	1397	8	1194	Comdr. U. B. Harris	Shanghai

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SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Ship	Destination	Date	Time
S.S. Marburg	FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.	21st November, 1903.	Freight.
S.S. Suez	CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.	1st December, 1903.	Freight.
S.S. Aragon	FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.	15th December, 1903.	Freight.
S.S. Nubia	FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ.	About end of December.	
S.S. Nürnberg	FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.	20th December, 1903.	Freight.

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R.M.S. EMPRESS OF CHINA	6000	WEDNESDAY, Jan. 13, 1904.
R.M.S. EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA	6000	WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10, 1904.
R.M.S. EMPRESS OF AFRICA	6000	WEDNESDAY, Mar. 9, 1904.
R.M.S. EMPRESS OF AMERICA	6000	WEDNESDAY, Apr. 20, 1904.
R.M.S. EMPRESS OF ASIA	6000	WEDNESDAY, May 11, 1904.

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THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.)

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

Steamers	Destinations	Sailing Dates
TAMBA MARU, J. W. Wale	KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	FRIDAY, 20th Nov., at Daylight
HIKOSHIMA MARU, J. Nagao	MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	FRIDAY, 27th Nov., Daylight
SADO MARU, S. J. G. PARKER	MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, Via SWATOW, PENANG, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.	SATURDAY, 28th Nov., at Daylight
BOMBAY MARU, T. MURAI	BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE and COLOMBO	TUESDAY, 1st Dec., at Noon
SHINANO MARU, W. THOMSON	VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE, U.S.A., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	TUESDAY, 1st Dec., at 4 p.m.
YAWATA MARU, A. E. MORSE	NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	WEDNESDAY, Dec. 2, at Noon

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Hongkong, November 11, 1903.

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FROM	STEAMERS	DUE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PELUS	28th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	DARDANUS	5th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	YANGTZE	12th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PARAHUS	24th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TYDEUS	24th December.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	NESTOR	1st January.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	KESKUS	8th January.

HOMWARDS.

TO	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL	NINGHOW	20th November.
LONDON & ANTWERP	POLYDORUS	24th November.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	ACHILLES	8th December.
LIVERPOOL & ANTWERP	PROMETHEUS	20th December.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	DARDANUS	5th January.
LIVERPOOL	YANGTZE	13th January.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	DOMINUS	19th January.

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FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
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		1st January.

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Hongkong, November 17, 1903.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
MANILA	TAISAN	18th November.
PT. DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COCKTOON, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	TAISAN	18th November.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Sailing Dates, 1903.

HAMBURG WEDNESDAY, 23rd Nov.

PRINZ HEINRICH WEDNESDAY, 9th Dec.

KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 23rd Dec.

KLAUSCHOU WEDNESDAY, 6th Jan.

SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 20th Jan.

BAYERN WEDNESDAY, 3rd Feb.

GERA WEDNESDAY, 17th Feb.

SEYDLITZ WEDNESDAY, 2nd Mar.

PREUSSEN WEDNESDAY, 16th Mar.

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TACOMA 2812 M. Ridley December 15

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LONDON, &c. { Malta ... Noon, 21st See Special

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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, November 14, 1903.

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Hongkong, November 14, 1903.

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COAST PORTS AND FORMOSA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

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AND AMOY, 18th November.

TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW, SUNDAY, 22nd

AND AMOY, November.

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AND AMOY, November.

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T. ARIMA, Manager.

Hongkong, November 16, 1903.

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TOJANAS MACASSAR December 20 SINGAPORE Nov. 23

TOJATJAP DO December 21 DO Nov. 24

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Malacca S. S. Co., Ltd.....	60,000	\$	15	\$31, sales & sellers	
Yat-King S. N. Company, Limited.....	60,000	\$	10	a	\$71, buyers
Star Ferry Company, Ltd.....	10,000	\$	10	\$26, buyers	
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.....	10,000	\$	5	\$36, buyers	
Shanghai S. S. Co., Ltd.....	2,000	\$	1	18/	
Shanghai Tug & Lighter Co., Ltd., do. Preference.....	200,000 100,000	Tls. Tls.	50 50	Tls. 60	Tls. 36, buyers Tls. 50, sales Tls. 50, sales
REFINERIES.					
China Sugar Company, Limited.....	20,000	\$	100	a	\$90, buyers
Lueng Seng Company, Limited.....	7,000	\$	100	a	\$10, rollers
Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.....	7,000	Tls.	50	T	Tls. 60
WEAVERS.					
H.K. & Kow, What & Godown Co. Shanghai-Land Hongkong Wareh.....	30,000 20,100	\$ Tls.	50 100	a	\$86, sales Tls. 215, sellers
LAND AND ESTATE.					
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.....	50,000	\$	100	100	\$152, sellers
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd. Kwong Loan and Building Com- pany.....	39,000 4,000	Tls. \$	50 50	Tls. 60	Tls. 191, buyers \$35
Wei-hei-wai Land & Building Co., Ltd. Humphreys Estate & Finance Co. West Point Building Co., Limited.....	3,784 100,000 12,500	Tls. \$ \$	25 10 50	Tls. 25 a \$	Tls. 15 sellers \$22, sellers
THRAWAYS.					
H.E. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd. MINING.	1,250	\$	100	all	\$320, sellers
J. Iebu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.....	60,000	\$	11	5	50 cents, sellers
New Panjin Mining Co. Ltd.....	30,000	\$	11	\$1	\$1.50, sales & sellers
do. Preference shares.....	30,000	\$	11		30 cents
S. S. Franco de los Chabon.....	32,000	Tls.	250	all	\$600, sellers

HOTELS, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	9	50	\$147, sellers.
Oriente Hotel, Manila.	20,000	9	50	\$85, sellers.
Amor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (Tinian). ..	2,000	1 Tls.	50 Tls.	Tls. 150, buyer.
Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (Shanghai) ..	30,000	5	25	\$27, sellers.
DISPENSARIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	60,000	5	10	\$14, sales.
Watkins Limited.	10,000	5	10	\$74, sellers.
LIGHTING.				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	7,000	2	10	\$140, buyers.
Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	60 Tls.	Tls. 1082, sellers.
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited.	30,000	5	10	\$123, sales.
New Electric (new issue)	30,000	5	10	\$62, sales.
BRICK AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	50,000	5	10	\$223, buyers.
UNUSUALS.				
Manila Investment Co., Ltd.	20,000	5	60	\$15
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Ltd.	8,604	2	12/6	\$54, sellers.
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited.	100,000	5	10	\$3, buyers.
Flourishing Bakery Company, Ltd.	800	5	50	\$540
H.K. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	7,000	10	10	\$124, buyers.
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	10,000	5	7 1/2	\$134, buyers.
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	5,000	5	32	\$124, buyers.
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	7,300	2	1/2	Tls. 42.
Tobacco Planting Company, Ltd.	20,000	5	5	nominal
Shanghai Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	5	50	\$145, sellers.
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	1200	10	10	\$15, buyers.
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	17,500	Tls.	60 Tls.	100 Tls. 23.
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls.	75 Tls.	75 Tls. 23.
Loan-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	100 Tls.	100 Tls. 35.
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls.	600 Tls.	500 Tls. 20.
China Re-public Loan Mortgage Co., Ltd.	50,000	5	10	\$99, sales.
China Bank Company, Ltd.	60,000	5	12	\$9, sellers.
Universa Trading Co., Ltd.	20,000	5	20	\$23, buyers.
Campbell Moore & Co., Limited.	1,800	10	10	\$40
China Bank Company, Ltd.	60,000	5	12	\$99, sales.

and Cleaning Co., Ltd.	70,000	\$	10	\$	10	\$10, Nominal
The Canton-Hongkong Ice and Cold Storage Company, Limited						
CIGAR COMPANIES.						
Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$	60	\$	60	\$15 sellers
Alhambra Limited	500	\$	600	\$	600	\$69

LOANS.	Amount.	Rate.	Interest	Quotation.
Chinese Imperial 1888	\$1,250,000	2 1/2%	250,000	250 1/2 p. annum Par

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